



# Medicaid EHR Incentive Program Payment Timeline for Pediatricians

with <30% Medicaid  
Patient Volume

*Following a Standard Accelerated Schedule Beginning 2013*

Payment Year	Program Requirements	Payment
1 2013	Stage 1 Meaningful Use 90 Days	\$14,167
2 2014	Stage 1 Meaningful Use 90 Days	\$5,667
3 2015	Stage 2 Meaningful Use Calendar Year	\$5,667
4 2016	Stage 2 Meaningful Use Calendar Year	\$5,667
5 2017	Stage 3* Meaningful Use Calendar Year	\$5,667
6 2018	Stage 3* Meaningful Use Calendar Year	\$5,667

Payment Year, as defined by CMS, refers to the year for which the payment is made, though payment will not follow until 30-45 days after a complete and correct attestation is received.

According to this schedule, payment would not occur until 2016 for fulfilling the program requirements in Payment Year 2015.

**Tip** Conceptualize Payment Year as the year of program participation or the year of the reporting period.

Total Possible Incentive Earnings are \$42,502.

\*Requirements to be determined. Guidelines updated as appropriate.